

## SENATORS BLOCK WAR LAWS REPEAL

Objections Made by Both Republicans and Democrats.

### VOTE LIKELY TO-MORROW

Passage Dependent on Attitude of Senator Thomas, Who Opposes It.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

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Washington, D. C., Feb. 26. (Herald Bureau.)

An effort to take final action on the Senate on the resolution already approved by the House for repealing the war laws, with certain exceptions, was blocked to-day by objections from Republicans and Democrats. Those tactics brought a threat from Senator Borah that unless some agreement for a vote could be taken on Monday it might lead to delay in considering the naval appropriation bill.

One objection was made by Senator Robinson (Ark.), presumably inspired by the fact that President Wilson vetoed a similar resolution which Congress put through in the last session. A further objection was made by Senator Flanders (Vt.), who fears it might retard action on the naval bill.

Senator Thomas (Col.) objected on general principles, as he is opposed to repealing the war statutes.

Senator Sterling (S. D.) brought up the repeal resolution and obtained unanimous consent for its consideration in place of the army bill, provided it led to no debate. It was read and was apparently ready to pass when several Senators suggested it was "too important" to go through without discussion.

Senator Underwood (Ala.), minority leader, thought it ought to be debated also.

Senator Robinson's objection stopped the discussion. Then Senator Borah

(Idaho) insisted that there must be some agreement for a vote if the army and navy bills are to go through.

"It is altogether possible that they will fail," he said. "If we cannot have an agreement to vote on this repeal measure."

Senator Lodge (Mass.) said while he was anxious to see it pass he also wanted the navy bill to go through.

"If the Senator wants it to pass he knows how to do it," said Senator Borah. He asked unanimous consent to make the repeal measure the unfinished business after the army bill passed.

Senator Flanders objected.

Then Senator Borah asked for an agreement to vote not later than 3 o'clock Monday. Senator Thomas, who recently announced that he "might talk on the repeal until March 5," objected. That stopped all consideration, as Senator Wadsworth (N. Y.) insisted on taking up the army bill.

It is probable a vote will be reached on the repeal measure on Monday. Unless Senator Thomas recedes from the stand he has taken it is likely the resolution will fail.

MAIL CLERK'S SLAYER

ESCAPES WITH BOOTY

Strikes Him Down in Car

With Coupling Pin.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 26.—G. V. Quailhead, Chief Postal Inspector here, said to-night no clue had been obtained to the identity of the robber who today killed a railway mail clerk at the Pennsylvania Station and escaped with some registered mail. The Inspector said it would be several days before an estimate of the value of the missing mail could be given.

J. L. McCullough, the clerk, was sorting mail in a car when attacked from the rear. The assailant struck him on the head with a coupling pin, which was found in the car after the robbery was discovered. McCullough, who resided at Waynesburg, died in a hospital shortly after the attack. After disposing of the clerk, the robber scooped up quite a number of letters and escaped.

L. C. Lewis, negro, who assisted McCullough in the mail car, told authorities to-night that he believed the robber got away with twelve registered packages.

McCullough, who was 60 years old, had been in the postal service for twenty-six years.

## BOY CAUGHT WITH \$772,000 HE STOLE

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was a clean-up. The moment I got out of the bank with the bonds I went across the street and sold a \$500 bond for \$32.50. Then I got afraid. I wanted to go back. I started to feel queer all over. I got to thinking of my sisters and my mother. I cried for a little while. Then I got a brave streak."

Young Dalton related how he had read in the Chicago newspapers of how Judge Landis had refused to sentence Francis Carey of Ottawa.

"I thought if I got caught, some judge might be as kind to me as Judge Landis was to Carey," added Dalton, who broke down at this point and cried for several minutes.

"I took an electric car to Aurora," he went on. "I stayed there a while and it seemed that everybody was looking at me. I couldn't stand it, so I got on an electric car going to Joliet. There I boarded a train for Bloomington, where I stayed all night. I couldn't sleep. All night I fancied I could hear my mother calling me. She seemed to be telling me to come home, that all would be forgiven."

"I got up and went to breakfast, but I

couldn't eat. I started to walk. I didn't know where I was going. I wanted to kill myself, but I didn't have the courage. About four miles from town an automobile came along and I got a lift. Pretty soon we were in Heyworth. I saw a pool room sign. I thought I would go in and get warm."

"The moment I got into the pool hall everybody started to jay-gaze me. It doesn't pay to steal, though. When you get out of Chicago with almost a million and then get caught in a jay town like Heyworth, that no one ever heard tell of, it proves that honesty is the best policy."

"That's all there is to the story. I was going to Springfield, but that soldier guy Draper sure has good eyesight. He must read the papers for a living," and young Dalton smiled for the first time during the telling of his story.

The search for Dalton, in which thousands of detectives, professional and amateur, had joined, was one of the most intensive hunts in American criminal annals. From the moment of the first announcement of the robbery yesterday men and women throughout the middle West sought the lad. Virtually every newspaper printed front page stories of the lad with pictures of him. Spurred on by the promise of great rewards they kept up the search throughout the night.

The Pinkerton Detective Agency loosed 100 experienced sleuths, who covered Illinois like a blanket. The predictions of the bank officials that no one could elude such a dragnet came true.

## LANDIS DOUBTS DALTON CITED CAREY'S CRIME

Judge to Find Out What Lad Said About Bail Theft.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis, when asked to-night if he cared to comment on the references of Dalton to the Judge's disposal of the Carey case, replied:

"Are you sure that this lad Dalton was properly quoted?"

"According to Heyworth and Bloomington newspaper men, Dalton said he thought the way you handled the case of Francis Carey, the Ottawa bank clerk, that it fitted his case exactly," replied THE NEW YORK HERALD's correspondent.

"Are you sure that these down-State newspaper men didn't interview this young man Dalton along the line of suggestion?" inquired the Judge.

"In what respect?" was asked.

"Well, the question might be asked of Dalton in a leading way. And the answer would dovetail."

"Take Dalton's frame of mind a few minutes after he is caught. Ask any old newspaper man if Dalton would agree with the questioner," replied the Judge.

"Then you really don't think Dalton likened his own case to that of Carey?"

"Just say that I am investigating for the present," retorted the Judge. Then he said: "You know in these days of news gathering, and I discuss this art of interviewing ex-cathedral, if a newspaper man asked you a question in the general run of conversation—and you happen to agree with him—he comes out the next day in his story and says something like this: 'Yesterday the Judge said so and so—do you get my point? That is what the modern newspaper of to-day calls expert interviewing—you agree with him—and the next day you are given the credit of expressing a thought that rightfully belongs to the reporter. Of course, I am not even intimating that is what happened in the case of young Dalton to-day—just say that I am investigating.'"

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HELD IN \$10,000 BAIL.

Accused of Part in Brooklyn Jewelry Holdup.

John L. Walsh, accused of participating in the unsuccessful holdup of Irving Soloway's jewelry shop, 155 Sands street, Brooklyn, Wednesday night, was held in \$10,000 bail yesterday in the Adams Street Court, charged with felonious assault and attempted robbery. He will be examined further to-morrow. At the same time detectives questioned Michael McCarthy, 174 Sands street, who is in the Holy Family Hospital. It is alleged that he was one of the two men to attempt the robbery. He had a bullet in his chest. The police were trying to learn the name of his companion that night.

"I had no companion," he snapped. "I had no part in any holdup and never tried any such thing anywhere. I was walking along the street in front of the jewelry shop when that crazy Jeweller came along and plucked me."

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